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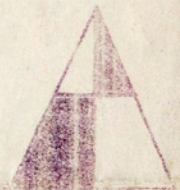
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OAKLAND CENTRAL YMCA CHESS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

The results of the Oakland Central YMCA Chess Club's Championship Tournament which was held over the past months is as follows:

Player	Score	Rank
R. Cuneo	4 ¹ -4 ¹	3-4th
E. Gaylor	5-4	1-2nd
M. Quinlivan	4 ¹ -4 ¹	3-4th
J. Salna	5-4	1-2nd
R. Trenberth	1-8	5th

Congratulations to Messrs. Gaylor and Quinlivan for their fine performance in this tournament.

RAPID TRANSIT TOURNAMENT

The results of the rapid transit tournament held on June 25th are as follows:

Player	Score	Rank
G. Weber	12 ¹ -20	3rd
R. Ng	5 ¹ -20	3th
T. Anderson	6 ¹ -20	7th
E. Gaylor	14-20	1st

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LAST INTRA-CLUB SWISS TOURNAMENT

The results of the last intra-club Swiss Tournament which just concluded is as follows:

Player	Score	Rank
A. Cabral	3-2	5-6-7-8
A. Gilbert	2 ¹ -2 ¹	9-10
A. Gunston	2 ¹ -2 ¹	9-10
R. Hough	4-2	2-3
J. Jee	2-3	11-12
C. Lewis	3-2	5-6-7-8
R. McCollough	3-2	5-6-7-8
M. Morrison	2-3	11-12
J. Nave	wdrw.	---
R. Ng	4 ¹ - ¹ / ₂	1
G. Rosen	1-5	13
G. Weber	3 ¹ -1 ¹ / ₂	4
M. Weber	4-1	3-5

Congratulations here go to Ray Ng for his fine showing in this tournament.

ANNUAL OPEN AIR CHESS FESTIVAL AT SONOMA

This famous chess festival will be held this year on Sunday, August 15 and will be directed by George Koltanowski. The main feature of the Festival is a short tournament to be held between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

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GALES

Editors' Note: All our readers are encouraged to submit as many games as possible for publication, as well as chess problems, letters to the editors, annotations, etc.

#1. Played in the fourth round of the Berkeley Open, May 2, 1965.

White	Black
Raul Tamayo	Randall Hough
1 P-K4	P-QB3
2 P-Q4	P-Q4
3 N-QB3	PxP
4 NxP	N-Q2
5 B-QB4	KN-B3
6 N-N3	P-K3
7 KN-K2	B-K2
8 O-O	O-O
9 P-QB3	P-QN3
10 R-K1	B-N2
11 N-B4	R-K1
12 Q-B3	Q-B2
13 N/3-R5	P-B4
14 Q-R3	PxP
15 BxP	PxB
16 N/5xP	B-Q3
17 N/7xP	N-B1
18 Q-B5	Q-N2
19 R-K5	NxN
20 resigns	

#2. Played in the second round of the Berkeley Open, May 1, 1965.

White	Black
Raul Tamayo	James Jee
Sicilian Defence	
1 P-K4	P-QB4
2 N-KB3	N-QB3
3 P-Q4	PxP
4 NxP	N-KB3
5 N-QB3	P-QR3
6 B-KN5	Q-B2
7 B-QB4	P-KN3
8 O-O	B-N2
9 N/4-K2	O-O
10 P-KB4	F-K3
11 P-B5	P-QN4
12 B-Q3	B-N2
13 PxBP	BPxP
14 N-N3	N-K4
15 K-R1	N/5-N5
16 Q-Q2	Q-Q3

17 B-KB4	Q-B4
18 P-QR3	N-KB3
19 P-QN4	Q-B2
20 P-QR4	Q-QB1
21 PxP	N-B5
22 Q-K2	P-K4
23 BxN+	QxB
24 QxQ	RxQ
25 BxP	PxP
26 NxP	NxP
27 RxR+	BxR
28 NxN	RxN
29 N-Q6	RxB
30 NxB	BxP
31 B-QN1	B-K2
drawn by adjudication	

#3. A club rated game

White	Black
L. Petty	James Jee
Sicilian Defence	

1 P-K4	P-QB4	8 NxP	B-N2	13 BxB	NxB
2 P-QB4	N-KB3	8 B-K2	O-O	14 NxN	P-K3
3 N-QB3	P-QN3	9 P-KB4	N-R3	15 Q-Q2	N-R4
4 N-KB3	B-N2	10 P-QR3	N-B4	16 Q-QA	R-B1
5 Q-B2	P-KN3	11 B-B3	N/3xP	17 Q-R2	RxP
6 P-Q4	PxP	12 N/4-K2	NxN	18 P-R5	N-N6

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Editors' Note: In the last issue of En Passant, we printed the rules for Kriegspiel in anticipation of the upcoming Kriegspiel tournament which our club is sponsoring in August. In this issue we follow up our printing of the rules by printing two sample games, which should give you a better idea of how the game is played. As before, the article is taken from The Official Blue Book and Encyclopedia of Chess by Kenneth Harms.

The following short game is by no means typical of a Kriegspiel game but illustrates the procedure. The annotations are by Eliot Hearst.

White	Black
1 P-K4

Referee announces "White has moved." All Black knows is that White has moved a Pawn or a Knight--not a very brilliant deduction!

1 ...	P-KB3
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Referee reports, "Black has moved." White asks "Are there any?" and referee answers, "No." White thus deduced that Black's first move was neither P-Q4 nor P-KB4. Otherwise, White would have a Pawn capture available.

2 Q-R5
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Referee says, "White has moved, checking on the short diagonal." The long diagonal, White's QR4 to K8 has five squares; the short diagonal, KR5 to K8, has only four squares. Actually, in this position there could be no check on the long diagonal; but if Black's Queen-Pawn had also been moved, specifying the diagonal would indicate the direction of the check.

White's second move was made without knowing that it would give check. On learning that his Queen is attacking the King's square, he knows that Black's first move was P-KB3.

2	P-N3
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Referee: "Black has moved."

3 B-K2
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Referee: "White has moved." White sets a little trap into which Black might fall--and does.

3	PxQ
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Black first asked "Are there any?" and the referee replied "Try!" Knowing that a white piece had checked on his KR4, Black tried the capture with his KNP. The referee announced: "Black has captured on his King-Rook four."

4 BxP mate	
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Referee: "White captures on his King-Rook five and mates."

From the October, 1950, issue of the magazine Chess (Sutton Coldfield, England) we quote the following Kriegspiel Brilliancy won by Mr. E. H. Shaw at the Gambit Chess Rooms, London:

White	Black
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1 P-K4	N-QB3
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2 P-KB3
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Q.: "Are there any?" Ans.: "No."

2	P-K4
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3 K-B2	B-B4ch
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"Black checks on the long diagonal."

4 K-N3
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Q.: "Are there any?" Ans.: "No." Now Black knows that White did not play P-Q4.

4	Q-N4ch
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"Black checks on the file." Black deduces that White's first move was P-K4. Otherwise he would have played P-K3 at his fourth move. The check locates the White King. If 4 ... Q-N4 had not been a check, White's previous move might have been P-K3, K-K1, or K-N1. White's next three moves are forced.

5 K-R3	Q-R3ch
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"Check on the file."

6 K-N3	Q-B5ch
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"Check on the long diagonal."

7 K-R3 P-KR4!

Now White tries every possible move with his King but finds they are illegal. So he tries to make a loophole.

8 P-KN3

"Are there any?" "No." This shows that White did not play P-Q4 or P-KN4. Having an almost positive knowledge of White's position, Black guesses that White played P-KN3.

8 P-Q4ch

"Black checks on the long diagonal." As the referee does not announce mate, Black knows that White's last move was P-KN3.

9 K-N2

"Are there any?" "No." Therefore White played K-N2 and not P-N4.

9 R-R3

Now White asks "Are there any?" "Try!" says the referee. From the previous move, White has located the black Queen. So he tries the capture with his Knight-Pawn.

10 PxQ

"White has captured on his KB4."

10 R-N3 mate.

Note that White's 3 K-B2 would be suicidal in an ordinary game of chess, but "prospecting" with the King in an attempt to locate enemy pieces is customary in Kriegspiel.

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19 N-N5	NxR	22 PxP	BfxP	25 P-B4	Q-QB4+
20 B-K3	N-B7+	23 N-Q6	R-B7+	26 K-B3	QxN
21 K-K2	NxB	24 KxN	Q-N4+	27 resigns	

RAPID TRANSIT TOURNAMENT--CONT.

R. Mc Collough	11-20	4-5th
R. Trenberth	11-20	3th
D. Mendor	0-20	10th
A. Cabral	4-20	9th
J. Salna	11-20	4-5th
A. Gilbert	18-20	2nd

Congratulations to one and all for a fine tournament.

SONOMA--CONT.

and will consist of three games. Time limit: 45 moves in 45 minutes; entries accepted until noon; classes: E-A, B, C, juniors, women. There will be groups of four players each and one prize to a group. Entry fee: \$2 before August 2nd; \$3 after. Make checks payable to Sonoma Valley Chamber of Commerce. There will also be special exhibitions given. Fee \$2/\$1. Bring the family.

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Please rush me my tournament book with its 30+ games, annotations, photos, etc. I am enclosing for _____ book(s) at 50¢ per book \$ _____ in coin or check payable to Martin Morrison.

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